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Passenger .... 5 08 A M Sundays excepted
Freight .... 2 25 A M Mondays "
" .... 10 40 A M Sundays "
" .... 3 45 P M "

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger .... 7 42 P M Sundays excepted
Freight .... 8 50 A M " "
" .... 11 20 P M " "
" .... 3 25 P M " "

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MAIN LINE:
GOING WEST:

No. 1 Through Express .... 3 15 a. m
" 3 Fast Express .... 12 20 p. m
" 11 Accommodation .... 3 10 p. m
" 5 " .... 11 00 p. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express .... 11 10 p. m
" 4 Atlantic .... 12 10 p. m
" 12 Accommodation .... 7 45 p m
" 6 " .... 9 00 a. m

PEKIN DIVISION:
DEPART:

No. 1 Accommodation .... 6 05 a. m
" 3 Mail .... 1 30 p. m

ARRIVE:

No. 2 Accommodation .... 9 00 p. m
" 4 Mail .... 11 15 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:
DEPART:

No. 1 Through Express .... 3 20 a. m
" 3 Fast Express .... 12 25 p. m
" 9 Accommodation .... 12 30 a. m
" 5 " .... 6 00 a. m

ARRIVE:

No. 2 Lightning Express .... 11 05 p. m
" 4 Atlantic .... 11 30 a. m
" 10 Accommodation .... 4 25 a. m
" 6 " .... 6 15 p. m

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EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur			3 15 p m
Ar Monticello			4 40 "
" Champaign			6 05 "
" Chicago			8 05 a m
Lv Champaign	5 40 a m	1 10 p m	11 30 p m
Ar Danville	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 30 a m
T., W. & W. R R			
Lv Decatur		12 00 m	3 15 p m
" Tolono		1 20 p m	12 27 a m
Ar Danville		2 50 p m	1 20 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 20 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 40 a m	6 30 p m	6 10 a m
" Cincinnati	9 00 p m	12 10 a m	11 59 a m
" Dayton	5 45 p m		12 25 p m
" Columbus	11 45 p m		3 40 p m
" Zanesville	1 55 a m		7 00 p m
" Wheeling	5 45 a m		
" Washington	9 00 p m		9 00 p m
" Baltimore	6 55 p m		6 30 p m
" Pittsburg	7 05 a m	11 45 a m	12 01 a m
" Harrisburg	3 25 p m	10 40 p m	11 55 a m
" Philadelphia	6 40 p m	2 50 a m	3 35 p m
" New York	9 25 p m	7 00 a m	6 45 p m
" Crestline		4 20 a m	
" Cleveland		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo		1 10 p m	
" Boston		8 30 a m	5 50 p m
" Louisville		11 25 p m	1 00 p m
" Nashville		7 35 a m	

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EAST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 1, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Decatur .... 8:30 a. m
Arrives at Terre Haute .... 1:25 p. m
" Indianapolis .... 4:15 "

No. 3, Accommodation—
Leaves Decatur .... 3:45 p m
Arrives at Terre Haute .... 12:40 a. m
" Indianapolis .... 3:35 "

WEST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 2, Accommodation—
Leaves Terre Haute .... 6:30 a. m
Arrives at Decatur .... 3:00 p. m

No. 4, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Indianapolis .... 2:00 p. m
Leaves Terre Haute .... 5:20 "
Arrives at Decatur at .... 10:40 "

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" East .... 12:15 P. M.
" North, South, Paris, & East of Lafayette .... 6:00 A. M.

MAILS CLOSE

For Paris .... 8:00 A. M.
" East, and St. Louis .... 10:45 "
" West .... 11:30 "
" Pekin, and I. & I. C. .... 12:00 M.
" Chicago, and I. B. & W .... 2:00 P. M.
" South .... 7:00 "
" North & East of Lafayette .... 7:30 "

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

PARISIAN ECCENTRICITIES.

A correspondent at Paris tells the following amusing story: A very unfortunate young man was pointed out to me yesterday. He had lived in the country until he was twenty-five years of age, when he became his own master, inherited a large fortune, and resolved to go and live in Paris. He was, however, determined not to vegetate in the capital, but to become the talk of the town from the very first, and to signalize himself by some eccentricity or other. That was an ambition easily satisfied, since for the last few months it has sufficed for a gentleman to drive out daily in a sledge in order to become the hero of Paris for a whole week. Our young gentleman hit upon another idea almost as ingenious. He possessed a very white Newfoundland dog, and a black cat quite as handsome as the dog. This couple led a cat and dog life in every sense of the term.—The young gentleman determined to make peace between the two enemies, and to become famous by their means. After a few months his efforts were crowned with success; the cat would mount on the dog's back, and the couple would thus follow their master, at first when he walked, and in course of time when he rode. In the small village where our hero resided his success was prodigious. He was the talk even of the whole department. When he felt sure of his two animals the young man started for Paris, taking along with him his horse, his dog and his cat. The day after his arrival at four in the afternoon he mounted his horse and made the cat mount the dog, and all three started in the direction of the Arc de Triomphe. From the Place de la Concorde up to the Round Point of the Champs Elysees their march was one of triumph. The young man, overjoyed at his success, proud of his idea, gravely continued his victorious march, for in such cases coolness is half the battle. Alas! the finest dreams are the first to be dissipated. The Round Point became the Tarpean Rock of the cavilier who was mounting to the capitol. Just as he was passing in front of the Italian Embassador's a scavenger, jealous of his rising fame, spouted the water with which he was laying the dust against the dog and cat. At this unexpected attack dog and cat set up a dismal howl, and, forgetting their role, scampered off in fright, one to the right and the other to the left, before their master and teacher had time to calm their terror. The crowd laughed long and loud; the unfortunate young man never more set eyes on either the dog or cat, and returned home as obscure as when he went out.

WALKING FIVE YEARS FOR $50,000.—The Providence, R. I., *Press* met Mr. Coleman, and was "taken in." This is the yarn it spins: Mr. James Coleman, a newspaper reporter from New York, passed through Providence to-day, on his journey to Boston, to claim a wager of $50,000, made with a sea captain, of Newburyport, Mass., named Delacour, that he, Coleman, was to lead the life of a vagrant for five years, which Mr. Coleman claims to have done; he says he drank no hot tea or coffee, or reposed in a bed during that time. He walked from Boston to Key West, Florida, and returned to New York in the same manner, there being stipulations to that effect. He was to perform all his journeyings on foot except in crossing rivers. On his journey South he had for his companions John Madde, a brother to an eminent literary lady of *Tablet* notoriety, and an illiterate Irishman, who excelled as a flutist. Mr. Coleman's appearance is like one on his "last legs;" he is completely "used up," and his weary life has rendered him less than the ninth part of a man.

Emily Faithfull says both the physician of Vassar college, Dr. Avery, and the professor of astronomy, Maria Mitchell, a woman whose reputation in the New World is as great as that of Mrs. Summerville in the Old, assured her that "the girls who studied the hardest were the healthiest. They traced the bad health of American women to its true source—the terrible severity and extremes of climate, combined with the unwholesome habit of heating houses by furnaces, to the exclusion of all proper ventilation, and the widespread disinclination to physical exercise of any description. "I venture to add that the delicacy complained of is also due to the fearful rapidity with which our American cousins apply the rule of doing 'smartly' whatever they have in hand, to their meals, and to the intemperate use of iced water throughout winter and summer.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

We, the delegated representatives of the Republican party of Illinois, declare the following to be substantially our political belief:

1. That emancipation and enfranchisement having been secured by the Thirteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and by appropriate legislation for their enforcement; and equality of civil rights having been guarantied by the Fourteenth Amendment, such guaranty should be enforced by appropriate statutes, so that the broad ægis of Federal power may be over black and white citizens alike.

2. That, as one of the consequences of the late civil war, about $382,000,000 of non-interest bearing Treasury notes were issued to, and are now held by, the people as a safe and convenient currency, it would be unwise and inexpedient, in the present financial condition of the people, to attempt the immediate cancellation of any portion of such Treasury notes.

3. That the laws for the establishment of national banks having secured to the States and Territories the best system of bank circulation ever before afforded the people, it should be no longer confined to a privileged class, but should be free to all alike, under general and equal laws, the aggregate volume of currency to be regulated by the untrammeled laws of trade.

4. That we re-affirm the declaration of the National Republican Convention of 1872, in favor of a return to specie payment at the earliest practicable day.

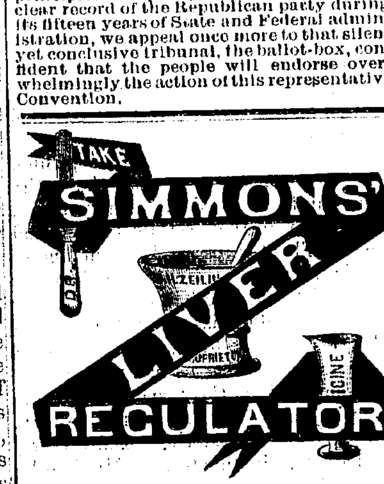
5. That we commend the measures which have passed the popular branch of Congress, looking to the cheapening and perfection of Inter-State railway transportation, and the improvement of navigation at the mouth of the Mississippi river.

6. That we are in favor of an amendment of the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of the President and Vice President by the direct vote of the people, without the intervention of the Electoral College.

7. That the Republican party proposes to respect the rights reserved by the people to themselves, as carefully as the powers delegated by them to the State and Federal Governments; and it will aim to secure the rights and privileges of the citizen without regard to nativity or creed; and it is opposed to interference by law with the habits, tastes or customs of individuals, except to suppress licentiousness or to preserve the peace and safety of the citizens of the State.

8. That while we accord to the railway companies of this State the fullest measure of property rights, we also demand for the people reasonable charges and rigid impartiality in the transportation of passengers and freight—such guaranty to be secured by appropriate State and National legislation.

Relying upon the foregoing declaration of principles and policy, and upon the broad, clear record of the Republican party during its fifteen years of State and Federal administration, we appeal once more to that silent yet conclusive tribunal, the ballot-box, confident that the people will endorse overwhelmingly the action of this representative Convention.



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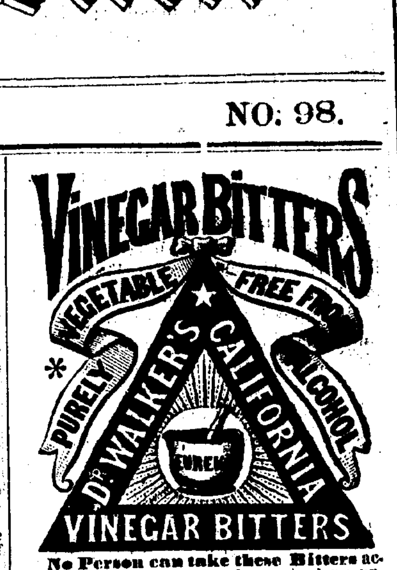
Take notice, that a certain suit is now pending in the circuit court of Macon county, state of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Eliza Graves is plaintiff, and Walker H. Tisdale and Roxana C. Tisdale are defendants; and that summons has issued in said cause, returnable to the next term of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the

First Monday of August, A. D. 1874,

and that unless you and each of you then and there appear to plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill, and the allegations therein stated, the said bill will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill. E. McCLELLAN,
Cl'k of Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
PARK & LEE, Sol's for Compl't.
Dated June 23, 1874-d6w.



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Friday Evening, July 24.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
THOMAS S. RIDGWAY,
Of Gallatin.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
WILLIAM B. POWELL,
Of Kane.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION—11th DISTRICT.

The Republican voters of the 11th Congressional District, embracing the counties of Champaign, Coles, Douglas, Macon, Platt and Vermillion, are requested to appoint delegates to attend a convention of said district to be held at Tuscola, Douglas county,

On the 25th day of August next,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative in Congress for said district, to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention. The basis of representation will be the same as that of the Republican State Convention, viz: One delegate for every 100 and fraction over 50 votes cast for Presidential Electors in 1872, which will entitle the respective counties of the said 11th congressional district to the following number of delegates, to-wit:

Champaign	10	Macon	7
Coles	7	Platt	1
Douglas	4	Vermillion	9

By order of Committee.
R. A. BOWER, Chairman.
W. H. LAMB, Secretary.

AT the close of the temperance lecture last night "the friends of prohibition" were invited to come forward and hold a consultation for the purpose of deciding upon the course to be pursued in the campaign. Among those who went forward and remained throughout, participating in the caucus, was Mr. Corman, the editor of the farmers' organ. Can it be possible that this leader of the "Reform" hosts is so soon "off with the old love?" Is it possible that he has only been coquetting with the farmers in order to lead them into the camp of the prohibitionists? We have been giving him the credit of being a conscientious farmer, but fear he is playing a double part.

THE Washington *Republican*, of Monday last, publishes a list of forty-eight military companies in Georgia that bear arms drawn from the United States arsenals, but refuse to carry the United States flag. This with other similar facts, is said to illustrate the character of the newly organized and thinly disguised "White Man's Party" that is trying to capture President Grant for its next Presidential candidate. If the President has a proper respect for his present and future fame, he will rebuke this attempt in such a manner as will prevent its repetition in the future.

THE latest advices from Honolulu inform us that King Kalakaua's Ministry have resigned because their estimates were so much at variance with the financial views entertained by the Legislature. Their resignations were accepted, and His Majesty formed a new Cabinet by appointing W. L. Green Minister of the Interior, P. Nahaulelua, a Hawaiian, Minister of Finance, and R. H. Stanley Attorney General. They have inaugurated measures directed toward inducing immigration, obtaining a reciprocity treaty with the United States, effecting a loan for internal improvements, and the securing of telegraphic communication with San Francisco and Japan. Business in the island is very dull, and the Kingdom is stated to be in the condition of a man who has mistaken his capital for his income.

THE wheat and small grain crops of Minnesota for 1874 are put down by the St. Paul *Dispatch* as likely to be ten per cent less than last year. For this reduction the grasshoppers are mainly responsible, and it is stated that the crop prospects for next year in the western part of the State are of a most gloomy character, as the locusts are filling the ground with eggs, which next season will become animated devastators to strip the land of its greenness and of the fruits of the husbandman's labor. While the reports upon which the *Dispatch* bases its summary are a little discouraging they indicate nevertheless that many portions of the State will be gifted with bountiful harvests; and that the grasshopper scourge will make only a reduction of ten per cent in the grain raised is one of the most cheerful of news which the farmers of Minnesota and the people of the whole country can receive.

PAPER flour barrels are made in Iowa, and are so much better than wooden ones that it is predicted no other kind will be used five years hence.

Take Notice.—S. Einstein is offering his entire stock of dry goods at cost prices. 1822-1w.

LESSONS IN EQUESTRIANISM NEEDED.

From the Madison Courier.

Governor Hendricks is a God-fearing man and a church member, what he knows about the circus feat of riding two horses at the same time is all hearsay. Governor Hendricks goes to church, not to the circus. Possibly he never went to see a highly moral show—animals, birds and snakes. On "information" then, he decided that one man could ride two horses at the same time, but unfortunately, the "informant" did not deem it necessary to inform the Governor that both horses must be going the same way, and that it is impossible to ride two horses at the same time if they are traveling in different directions—as one would say, one horse coming from town and the other going to town. It was a small mistake of the teacher of Governor Hendricks in the science of riding two horses instead of one, but it led the Governor into very grave errors. In no other way can the Governor's attack on "personal liberty" be explained. He concedes in his speech the evils resulting from the liquor traffic, and the necessity for regulating it. He signed the Baxter bill, and mildly suggested to the Democratic convention that it had better be modified, but still insists that the liquor traffic must be regulated. Which is exactly what the Germans of the Democratic persuasion don't want.

THE Hon. Samuel Williston, of Easthampton, Mass., died on the 18th inst., at the age of 79. The story of his life is a record of good deeds. He was 31 years old, and very poor, when his wife laid the foundation of his fortune by beginning to cover buttons. The business grew until it became colosal. Within a few years, Mr Williston was rich. His wealth was wisely used.—In 1841, he founded Williston Seminary. His gifts to it, then and since, amounted to about $350,000. He has given to Amherst College $150,000 at different times. He built two churches at his own expense, and subscribed liberally to every sort of charity.—Notwithstanding his lavish generosity, he died worth a million or more. His will is supposed to contain liberal bequests to Williston Seminary and Amherst College. His six children all died in infancy, but he adopted four others, all of whom are now living. His wife and a younger brother survive him.—Mr. Williston's conspicuous generosity to schools is the more note-worthy, inasmuch as his own education was greatly neglected. Owing to the lack of money and failure of eyesight, he was at school only one term after completing his tenth year.

IT is to be hoped that the measures of the government against the hostile Indians will not be in any manner affected by the touching statement that their outbreak was caused by the depredations of white horse-thieves, and the imposition of rascally agents. This story, repeated at every fresh outbreak, has become rather thin. It is not supposed that the border men and Indian traders are models of Christian deportment or hightoned honor, but, on the other hand, we are tired of hearing that the Indians are gentle and lamb-like beings, incapable of wronging any human creature unless absolutely driven thereto by the wicked whites. The fact is they are impracticable and implacable savages. During the last half century they have had every possible opportunity and encouragement to change their habits of life, but have obstinately refused to do so and have maintained an attitude of persistent hostility to the whites and to civilization. It is idle to talk about their title to the soil. They have no more than the wild animals who shared its occupancy with them, and are as much cumberers of the earth and enemies to civilization. No treaty can be made with them whose binding force they will recognize a moment longer than suits their savage whim. They are an obstacle in the path of progress and a hindrance to the march of civilization. They know no law but that of violence, and recognize no authority but that of force, and the sooner the government adopts this line of treatment towards them, the better it will be for all concerned.

THE Peoria *Transcript* has no sort of confidence in any of the professions of sympathy for the "new party movement." It says:

It is quite certain that so soon as the Democracy in this State, or elsewhere considers itself strong enough to do so it will shake itself loose from the "new party movement," by whatever name it may be called, and assert itself to be the same old Democratic party which went out of power with James Buchanan and will come in again—never.

THE people of Ford county are much exercised over the demand for $3,000 extra compensation made by County Treasurer Kilgore. Kilgore was, it is claimed, elected by the anti-monopolist party with a full understanding that the salary should be $700 per year. Now, taking advantage of a supposed defect in the law, he claims extra pay for the work of collector of the county, which position he fills ex-officio.

IN politics, anti-monopoly means for the republicans to "ante" the voters while the democrats "monopolize" the offices.—*Champaign Gazette.*

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

BEECHER-TILTON.

Statement of Mrs. Tilton.

HER UNHAPPY LIFE WITH THEODORE.

A FEW THINGS EXPLAINED.

TILTON'S DEADLY HATE OF BEECHER.

How She Came to go Before the Committee.

NEW YORK, July 23.—The following is the statement of Mrs. Elizabeth R. Tilton:

To pick up anew the sorrows of the last ten years, the stings and pains I had daily schooled myself to bury and forgive, makes this imperative duty, as called forth by the malicious statement of my husband, the saddest act of my life. Besides, my thought following the Master, contradicts this act of my life and faith almost compels me now to stand aside till God himself deliver.—Yet I see in this wanton act an urgent call and privilege from which I shrink not. To reply in detail to twenty-two articles of arraignment, I shall not attempt at present; yet if called upon to testify to each and all of them, I shall not hesitate to do so. Suffice it for my purpose, now, that I reply to one or more of the most glaring charges.

Touching the feigned sorrow of my husband's compulsory revelations, I solemnly avow that long before the Woodhull publication, I knew him, by insinuation and statement, to have repeated to my very near relatives and friends, the substance of these accusations, which shock the moral sense of the entire community this day. Many times, when hearing that certain persons had spoken ill of him, he has sent me to chide them for so doing, and then and there I learned he had been before me with his calumnies against myself, so that I was speechless. Reiteration in his statement that he had persistently striven to hide these so-called facts, is utterly false, as his hatred to Mr. Beecher has existed these many years, and a determination to ruin Mr. Beecher has been the one aim of his life. Again, the perfidy with which the holiest love a wife ever offered has been recklessly discovered in this publication, reaches well nigh sacrilege, and added to this endeavor, like the early scandal of Mrs. Woodhull, to make my own words condemn me, has no parallel. Most conspicuously, my letter quoting the reading of "Griffith Gaunt." Had Mr Tilton read the pure character of Catherine, he would have seen that I lifted myself beside it as near as any human may affect the ideal, but it was her character and not the incidents of fiction surrounding it, to which I referred. Her's was no sin, criminal act or thought. Like confession with hers I had made to Mr Tilton in telling my love to my friend and pastor one year before, and I now add that, notwithstanding all the misrepresentations and anguish of soul, I owe to my acquaintance and friendship with Mr Beecher, as to no other human instrumentality, that encouragement of my mental life and that growth toward the divine nature, which enables me to walk daily in lively hope of life beyond the grave.

The shameless charges in articles seventh, eighth and ninth are fearfully false in each and every particular. The letter referred to in Mr. Tilton's tenth paragraph was obtained from me by importunity and by representations that it was necessary for him to use in his then pending difficulties with Mr Bowen.

I was then sick nigh unto death, having suffered a miscarriage only four days before. I signed whatever he required without knowing or understanding its import. The paper I have never seen, and do not know what statements it contained.

In charge eighteenth is a letter of mine addressed to Mr. Moulton, quoted to prove that I had never desired a separation or was advised by Mr. Beecher to leave my husband. I reply that the letter was Mr. Tilton's own concocting, he induced me to copy and sign it as my own act, which, in my weakness and mistaken thought to help him, I have done too often. During these unhappy years the implication that the harmony of our home was unbroken, till Mr. Beecher entered it as a frequent guest and friend, is a lamentable satire upon the household where he himself, years before, laid the corner-stone of free love, and desecrated its altars up to the time of my departure, so that the atmosphere was not only godless, but impure for my children, and in this effort and throe of agony I would fain lift my daughters and all womanhood from the insidious and diabolical treachery of these latter days. His frequent efforts to prove me insane, weak-minded, insignificant and mean of presence, all rank in the category of heartlessness, selfishness and falsehood, having its climax in his present endeavor to convince the world that I am or ever have been unable to distinguish between innocent or guilty love.

In summing up the whole matter, I affirm myself before God to be innocent of the crimes laid upon me; that never have I been guilty of adultery with Hanry Ward Beecher in thought or deed, nor has he ever offered me an indecorous or improper proposal. The further charge that I was led from my home by Beecher's friends, and by advice of a lawyer whom Mr. Beecher had sent to me, who, in advance of my appearing before the Committee, arranged with me questions and answers which are to constitute my testimony in Mr. Beecher's behalf, I answer that this is again untrue, having never seen the lawyer until introducted to him a few minutes before the arrival of the Committee by my step father, Judge Morse. In further reply, I submit the following statement of my action before the Committee and separation from my husband.

The publication of Mr. Tilton's letter in answer to Dr. Bacon, I had not known nor suspected when, on Wednesday evening he brought home the *Golden Age*, handing it to me to read.—Looking down its columns, I saw well nigh with blinding eyes, that he had put into execution the almost daily threats of his life that he lived to crush out Mr. Beecher—that God's battle was in him; that he had always been Mr. Beecher's superior, and all that lay in his path was children or reputation. If need be they should fall before this purpose. I did not read it. I saw enough without reading. My spirit rose within me as never before.

"Theodore," I said, "tell me what means this quotation from Mr. Beecher. Two years ago you came to me at midnight saying, 'Elizabeth, all letters and papers concerning my difficulties with Mr. Beecher and Mr. Bowen are burned, destroyed. Now don't you betray me, for I have nothing to defend myself with."

"Did you believe that?" said he.

"I certainly did, implicitly," I said.

"Well, let me tell you that they are all alive—not one is destroyed."

If this was to intimidate me, it had quite the contrary effect. I had never been so fearless nor seen so clearly before with whom I was dealing. Coming to me a little later: "I want you to read it; you will find it a vindication of yourself. You have not stood before the community for five years as you now do."

Roused still further by the wickedness hid behind so false a mask, I replied. "Theodore, understand me; this is the last time you call me publicly to walk through this filth. My character needs no vindication at this late hour from you. There was a time when, had you spoken out clearly, truthfully and manfully for me, I had been gratified but now I shall speak and act for myself. Know, also, that if in the future I see a scrap of paper referring to any human being, however remote, which it seems you might use or pervert for your own ends, I will destroy it." "This means battle on your part, then, he said. "Just so far," I replied.

I write this because these words of mine he has since used to my harm.—The next morning I went to my brother, told him how I had decided to act in the matter, that I had been treated by my husband as a nonenity from the beginning, a plaything to be used, or let alone at will, that it always seemed to me I was a party not a little concerned. I then showed him a card I had made for publication. He respected the motive, but still advised silence on my part. I yielded thus far as to appearing in the public prints, but counselling with myself and no other, it occurred to me that among the brethren of my own communion I might be heard.

Not knowing any of the Church Committee, I asked the privilege of such interview, in the parlors of those who had been our mutual friends. Mr. and Mrs Ovington then learned for the first time that the committee would meet that night, and advised me to see those gentlemen as they were perhaps the godliest persons I could select. This I accordingly did. There alone I pleaded the cause of my husband and children, the result being that their hearts were moved in sympathy for my family and the feeling their pastor had shared for years, and for which he was now suffering. On going home I found my husband reading in bed. I told him where I had been, and that I did not conceal anything from him, as his habit was from me. He asked who the gentlemen were. He said no more, dressed himself, and bade me good-bye, forever.

The midnight following, I was awakened by my husband, standing by my bedside. In a very tender, kind voice, he said he wished to see me. I rose instantly, followed him to his room, and sitting on the bedside he drew me into his lap. He was proud of me, loved me so that nothing ever gave him such real peace and satisfaction as to hear me spoken of. At that meeting of the members of the Committee he had learned that he had been mistaken as to my motive in seeing the Committee, and hastened to assure me that he had been thoroughly wretched since his rash treatment the night before. Then and there we covenanted sacredly our hearts and lives—I most utterly renewing the trust in the one human heart I loved. Next day how happy we were! Theodore wrote a statement to present to the committee when they should call upon him, to all of which I heartily acceded. This document, God knows, was a true history of this affair, completely vindicating my honor and the honor of my pastor. In the afternoon he left me to show it to his friends. He returned home early in the evening, passing the happiest hours that I had known for many years; assuring me that there was no rest for him away from me. So, in grateful love to the dear father, I slept. Oh that the end had then come! I would not then have received the cruel blow "which made woman mad outright." Next morning he called on Mr. and Mrs. Ovington, and there, with shocking bravado, began a wicked tirade, adding, with oaths and violence, the shameful slanders against Mr. Beecher of which I believe him to be the author. This fearful scene I learned next day.

In the afternoon he showed me his invitation from the committee to meet them that evening. I did not show my hurt, but carried it heavily within, but calmly without. All night, till early morning, reflection upon this scene at Mr. Ovington's, convinced me that notwithstanding my husband's recent profession to me, his former spirit was unchanged; that his declaration of repentance and affection were only for the purpose of gaining my assistance to accomplish his ends in his warfare upon Beecher. In the light of these conclusions my duty appeared plain. I rose quietly, and having dressed myself, roused him only to say: "Theodore, I will never take another step by your side; the end has indeed come." He followed me to Mrs. Ovington's to breakfast, saying I was unduly excited. and that he had been misrepresented, perhaps; but leaving me determined as before. How to account for the change which 24 hours have been capable of working in his mind, then fixed for many years past, I leave for the eternities with their mysteries to reveal. That he is an unreliable and unsafe guide, whose idea of truth-loving is self-loving, it is my misfortune in this late sad hour to discover.

(Signed) ELIZABETH R. TILTON.

MONMOUTH, Ill., July 22.—The imposing funeral obsequies of Gen. A. C. Harding, who died last Sunday evening, took place here to-day. Robert Collyer, of Chicago, was expected to preach the sermon, but his absence from home prevented. The services were held in Union Hall, before a vast assemblage, and addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr R. C. Matthews, and President D. A. Wallace, of Monmouth college. The pall-bearers were all old citizens: Judge Porter, Wm. Lafortre, Col. Davidson, Wm. F. Smith, Deacon John Brown, of this city, and Ezra Patterson, lately removed to Chicago. The procession to the grave was preceded by the cornet band.

The General is 67 years old, and was born in East Hampshire, Conn. He removed to Monmouth in 1838, and resided here till his death. He entered the law in 1829, and continued practising till 1851. He was a member of the constitutional convention of Pennsylvania and also of Illinois, and was a member of our state legislature for many years. He entered the army as colonel of the 83d Illinois regiment in 1861, and was promoted to brigadier general for gallantry at Fort Donelson. He was elected to the thirty-ninth congress by the republicans, in 1864, and again in 1866, and supported Greeley in 1872. He was president of the Monmouth National bank at the time of his death. His wealth is about $2,000,000, chiefly amassed in real estate and railroad speculations. He leaves a widow and two children.

CLEVELAND, July 23.—A terrible explosion occurred at the Standard Oil Works this morning. Robert McDonald, Chas. McFarland, and Christ. Osterlin were drawing off crude oil, when gas escaping from the open tank was ignited by a lantern and exploded with terrific force. The three men were thrown some distance. The persons were enveloped in flames and only the crisped remains were recovered. Six tanks exploded in all. The oil sheds along the track of the Atlantic and Great Western road were turned, and a widespread conflagration was only prevented by the vigorous efforts of the firemen. Loss, $30,000.

MRS. TILTON.

It is a matter of some surprise to the thoughtful public, why the newspapers should be so valiantly assaulting Mrs. Theodore Tilton. What are the facts: Before the disclosures of Tilton, had a human being ever seen or heard a word in disparagement of the character of Mrs Tilton in any respect whatever? All that was known was in her favor, except that she was the wife of a man who bore a badly damaged reputation in consequence of his association with the vilest characters.

The public now have only the testimony of the husband, whose evidence would not be taken without doubts of its truth in any court in the country, that Mrs. Tilton is aught but a pure woman and an honor to her sex. The name of this woman, abandoned by her husband, and left to battle for her reputation alone and single-handed, is now, by the act of that husband on every vulgar tongue, and hunted down by a portion of the press for the crime of simply asserting her own honor and chastity. Shall she be condemned unheard simply because she is accused? Is that the chivalry of the American press? If she were the vilest of the vile, she would still be entitled to be heard in her defence. As she is not, is she not equally entitled to be heard? If conscious of her innocence, has she not the right to prove the fact? It seems to us that to persecute a woman for defending herself is cowardly and infamous.—*Springfield Journal.*

The St. Nicholas Hotel is now running a baggage wagon in connection with their two busses, and carriages. All calls left at their office will be promptly attended to. Their new carriage is one of the nicest and easiest riding ever brought to Decatur. The charges are the same as for the 'busses. [jun18-d1ew.

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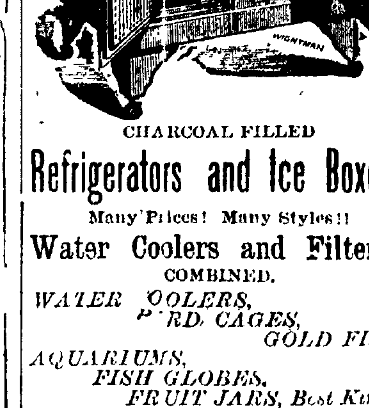

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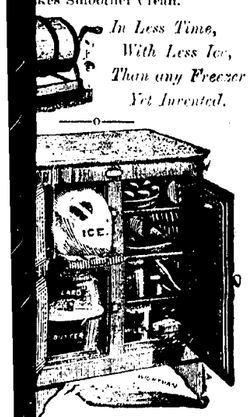

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July 11, d-tf.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.

Address by John Seboski.

A fair audience assembled at the court house last evening to hear Mr. Seboski lecture on temperance.

The speaker entered the room about 8½ o'clock, attended by Mayor Priest, who introduced him to the congregation.

He remarked that he was pleased to have the privilege of addressing the people of Decatur on the temperance question. He referred to the saying, oft repeated, that the subject had been so thoroughly canvassed that nothing new could be said about it, His answer to this was that the people should be kept stirred up upon this subject by the repetition of truth, saying that the light-houses upon our coasts were none the less needed because they had thrown out their light for successive years and centuries.

Among some there is a feeling that the temperance movement had been a failure; to prove that such was not the case the speaker cited the history of the cause from its beginning, marking its progress at each successive step. He referred to the pledge of the first temperance society, which simply bound its members not to get drunk, except on the fourth of July, thanksgiving, Christmas and election days. He also referred to the progress of the temperance sentiment in the army and navy. In 1855 liquor rations were dispensed regularly,—now they are entirely abolished, and no man can be promoted in rank who is known to be addicted to the use of strong drink.

He went on to say that the question "Is the traffic in intoxicating liquors morally right?" was no longer discussed. It was conceded by all to be wrong, and various pretexts are urged in justification of it as an evil that must be tolerated. Some say let none but men of good moral character be licensed to sell. The speaker urged that no man of good moral character would engage in the traffic of liquor as a beverage. Others ask that its sale be prohibited on the Sabbath; this he argued was practically impossible where license is granted at all. Those who hold license will sell on Sundays, however stringent the law may be against it. Others ask for license as a source of revenue, the folly of which idea was shown by a laughable illustration in regard to an old lady who sought to lengthen her apron by taking a piece from the top and sewing it upon the bottom.

In conclusion the speaker urged the men to go for a prohibitory law. He said the law protects the fish in the rivers, the wild animals that roam in the forests and on the prairies, and even the birds of the air; then why not protect our boys by putting that beyond their reach which is certain destruction to their health and characters. The dead are also protected in their graves by law, and why should not the living be protected in their homes.

Thanking the audience for their presence and attention, the speaker retired from the stand.

The friends of prohibition were requested to remain for a few moments after the lecture for consultation, and several gathered in front of the stand. After a short consultation a committee of three, consisting of Rev. W. S. Crissey, B. H. Righter and Jesse Leforgee, was appointed to prepare and issue a call for a county convention for the purpose of selecting candidates to be voted for at the fall election, and attend to any other business that the interests of the cause may seem to require.

The meeting then adjourned.

Ladies' Shirt Waists, at Goldburg's. 22d4w1

Building and Loan Association—The regular monthly meeting of the Building and Loan Association was held last night in the county court room. A large number of stockholders were present, and the bidding was quite animated.

The following amounts were loaned:

$100	"	"	25	"
200	"	"	25	"
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300	"	"	26½	"
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Our stock of Hosiery, both ladies' and gents', cheap at S. Einstein's. 23-d1w

Another Paper.—Among current rumors is one concerning the starting of another paper, which will be more liberal and tolerant on the matter of liquor selling than any of those now published. We have not learned who is to be the head or tail of the new concern.

Before purchasing anything in the the line of glass and queensware, call in and see the large and selected stock of Pratt & Son. It will pay you. 20-dtf

Clothing of all kinds made to order at Race's. 2-dtf.

The Question Answered—"How Linn & Scruggs employ so many salesmen and sell goods cheap." They keep the largest stock of dry goods in Decatur—they retail more goods than any other Dry Goods House in the United States, according to population, and their expenses are *less* in proportion to sales. Besides they are thus enabled to buy most of their goods of first hands and by the Case and Package, which gives them great advantage over small dealers. jun 2-d&w1y

Ladies' Fine Shoes—Burt make just received at Wessel's. The latest style of French Kid button, side lace shoes,—just the article that will please and fit. Call and examine. 8-dtf

Spring Hats, latest styles, at Marble Hall. 2-dtf

MATTERS AT MACON.

Now that the new crop of small grain is coming in, business is beginning to get better.

Mr. Norman Failing received yesterday 2,457 bushels of corn. The price paid was 52 cents for yellow and 60 cents for white. He also received 580 bushels of oats, for which 42 cents per bushel was paid.

The Town Board ordered a well sunk near the Masonic Hall. It has reached a depth of 88 feet, and promises an unfailing supply of water.

The mill of Van Horn & Co. is kept running now on new wheat.

The recent rains were greatly needed here, as the surface of the ground was getting very dry.

Frank Spillman has his shop now in the warehouse of John Phillips.

Harbert & Webb and Henry Bradley are shipping large quantities of new oats—mostly to Cairo.

Many of the citizens of Macon township have invested largely in Arkansas Valley lands. Their purchases have been made principally around Peace, on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R. Quite a number expect to remove there this fall.

Many pieces of corn show the fearful ravages of the chinch bug, but well-informed farmers informed our reporter that the crop would be an average one in the township.

Just In.—Two hundred pair of Jouvin & Alexandre kid gloves, ranging in size 5 to 7, at only 50 cents per pair. Call early, as they are going fast.

24-d2t. C. J. KERN.

MRS. HONIKER AGAIN ARRESTED.

It will be remembered by the numerous readers of the REPUBLICAN that Mrs. Honiker was taken before Justice Hughes Wednesday evening last, and fined $25 and costs. The Justice made the fine as light as possible, and neither himself or the officer charged any fees in the case. Yesterday morning that lynx-eyed minion of the law, officer Misenhelter called at the residence of Mrs. Honiker and found her selling beer again, quite composedly. She proffered him a glass, but he gracefully declined the invitation to drink. Mrs. Honiker said that she had permission from Mayor Priest to continue the business on week days if she would refrain from selling on Sunday. The policeman went up town, got out a warrant and pounced down upon her rauche this morning with a wild swoop. Dreaming naught of being disturbed in her peaceful avocation, Mrs. Honiker was behind the bar waiting on a number of customers. She was very much surprised at being placed under arrest.—Justice Hughes postponed the case till tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of summonin witnesses for the city. The prisoner was released on her own recognizance.

A large lot of Llama Lace Shawls, at great reductson, at Einstein's. 23-1w

HYMENIAL.

MARRIED,—At the residence of the bride's parents, on South Main street, last evening, by Justice Goodman, MR. RUDOLF LEDERER to MISS JOHANNA REMLEY, both of this city.

After the ceremony was performed the newly-wedded pair were driven to the hall of the Turner society, where a large number of invited guests had assembled.—Dancing was indulged in, and a pleasant evening enjoyed by all present.

The Cause of Temperance finds one of its most insidious and dangerous foes in the many so-called "tonics" and "appetizers," made of cheap whisky and refuse liquors, finished up to suit depraved appetites under the name of medicine. DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA BITTERS are none of these. They are not a beverage, but are a genuine medicine, purely vegetable, prepared from California herbs by a regular physician. For all diseases of the stomach, liver, kidneys, bladder, skin and blood, they are an infallible and unrivaled remedy. 24 d&w4w

Tom Collins Still at Large.—One Tom Elder, of Wheatland, was yesterday in hot pursuit of Tom Collins, to get satisfaction out of that individual on account of some slanderous report which said Collins had put in circulation in regard to him. We are not yet advised as to the success of Elder's search.

Call and see the latest styles of Hats at J. R. Race & Co.'s. 2-dtf

Great Short Horn Sale.—We have received catalogues of some fifty head of short horn cattle, of the herds of G. L. Burrus & Son and W. W. Reynolds, which are to be sold on the 6th of August, at Carrollton. Our fine stock dealers by calling on G. M. Wood, can be more fully informed. daw

Special Notice.—I take this method to announce to the public that I have now on hand a very superior assortment of boots and shoes that cannot be excelled in style, or in price and quality, consisting of Ladies' French Kid, button, side lace, low vamp, handsomely stitched—just the thing to please and fit perfectly. Also, Men's Gaiters, low shoes, a full line of Burt's hand-made goods, all kinds of children's colored shoes, button and lace.—Call in and examine my stock.

apr 24-dtf. G. F. WESSELS.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches.

Important to Boarders.—Ten or twelve regular boarders can be accommodated with board and good rooms at $4,00 per week, at No. 29 West North street.—Table board will be furnished for $3,00 per week.

May 13-dtf. NEWTON THOMPSON.

Latest Style Silk Hats, for $5, at Race's. 2-dtf

HASH.

Pass your plate again?

Another new firm—Lon Brockway and Dick Harkness are going to establish a wall-paper house.

The *Magnet and Tribune* office is in a state of active defence for a siege of war. Mr. Echart is in the city.

Count M. C. Goetz has hung his banner on the outer wall. It bears the watchword of liberty: "Cutting, repairing and scouring."

Mr. R. L. Hockaday will open his second-hand store in a few days. There is where the elegant wardrobe of "ye local" is treasured up at present.

Master Frank Shull got up a corner on the Chicago *Times* last night, and sold that pious paper at 10 cents a copy. We remember once making our *debut* as a temperance lecturer, and creating a corner on eggs.

"Ye local" owes an apology to B. R. Durfee, Esq., secretary and treasurer of the Building and Loan Association, for not inserting a notice of the meeting last evening, agreeable to promise. He was wrestling with a thin joke, and at the expiration of three hours of intense mental labor was too exhausted for the effort.

Last evening the new hotel clerk at the St. Nicholas asked "ye local" to change a $5 bill. The young man had better go back to the farm.

The financial disasters which spread ruin throughout the country last fall were but but the forerunners of the heaviest failure ever known to business circles. News comes by telegraph from New Orleans that the house of Peters & Young is thought to be hopelessly insolvent. This sudden collapse was caused by the two goose eggs unexpectedly becoming rotten. As nothing can be learned in regard to the eight walnuts, the creditors of the firm are in a dreadful state of suspense. If forced to suspend, however, we have faith in its ability to resume. George Peters will lend financial assistance to the house if necessary.

The cast iron pop-corn ball manufactured by Bob Muzzy, is one of the greatest modern inventions. It is first put into a fiery furnace and submitted to a heat of 225 deg., Fahrenheit. The ball is then drawn out by three stout men, with crowbars, and wheeled on an iron buggy to a set of mammoth rolls manipulated by a powerful engine. The pop-corn ball now comes out in bars, and is thrown into a quartz crushing machine, after which it is soaked in a hogshead of molasses over night.

Master Charley Price, a fox-colored kid about seventeen years of age, recently returned from an extensive tour in the sunny south. He formerly blacked boots and performed similar duties in the barber shop under Linn & Scruggs' store. About six months since the frisky little "nig." started on a romantic excursion down the Missippi, with a load of mules. Upon arriving at New Orleans the white fellows for whom he had been working gave him the shake, and the poor lad was thrown on the tender charities of the great city, without any friends or money, but a good deal of cheek. He found plenty of situations, to work for his board, but no wages could be obtained anywhere. Charles became very rich at this kind of employment, and about two weeks ago started north, to spend the heated term. He traveled in a private box car.

Will some one please commit suicide before the week is out? We want an item.—*Magnet and Tribune.*

We know you are hard up for items.—There are a number of ways to leave this sphere of tribulation and sorrow, from a tight rope matinee, laudanum in coffee, or arsenic straight, to the bungling process of the knotted handkerchief—all favorite and easy methods. With the reckless Bohemian of the *Magnet and Tribune* the gallows is only a matter of time, but if, in the present scarcity of sensations and the press for news, he could only be persuaded to sacrifice himself for the public weal, we would promise to insert a beautiful obituary in the REPUBLICAN, and pen an elegant epitaph for his mausoleum in the latest style of slab literature—something like the following stanzas, as experimental:

Beneath the hawthorne shade
Therelyes a lyre slowly layd;
On earth he lyed to make a livin,'
And now he lyes to keep in heaven.

Or something pathetic, like the following:

O! weeds of sorrow, black,
O! weep ye! tearful leek!
Here lies a poor newspaper hack,
Who worked for six dollars a week.

Baby's Robes and Children's Dresses at Goldburg's.

A full line of cloths, cassimers and vestings, latest styles, at Race's. 2 d-tf.

Hoop Skirts and Bustles made to order, at Goldburg's. 22d1w1

The "Duke Alexis Shoe," made with buckle, fancy extension, box toe, which received the silver medal at the World's Fair at Vienna, 1873, is all the rage just now. You can find them only at Wessel's. [Apr 24, dtf

All-wool Business Suits from $12 up, at Race's. 2-dtf

V. Barber & Co. are closing out their stock of summer goods at marvelously low prices, to make way for their fall and winter stock. Now is the time to buy cheap. Call and see their goods before purchasing. daw1w

Einstein's is the place to get all kinds of dry goods and notions at cost. 1w

Wedding Suits made to order at Race's. 2 d-tf.

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [Sept1 d1m

Light Spring Suits at Race's. 2 d tf.

The handsomest made underwear for ladies, very cheap, at Goldburg's.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. W. M. Boyd and family are rusticating in Virginia.

Mr. B. F. Guyton, of Chicago, is in the city on a visit.

Cory Johns, Esq., returned last evening from Springfield, where he has been attending a bankruptcy suit in the United States Court.

Dr. W. J. Chenoweth and daughter arrived home yesterday noon from their Kansas excursion. They made this trip by easy stages, traveling but four or five hours per day, and enjoyed a very agreeable time. The Dr. thinks that Decatur is the most enterprising city, and transacts more business, than any other town he saw in the west. Cass Chenoweth says there are but three towns in the west: Kansas City, St. Louis and Decatur.

Among guests registered at the St. Nicholas Hotel, are the following persons from abroad. Henry Smith, St. Louis; Geo. H. Smith, Boston; Geo. H. Convin, St. Louis; N. F. Hubbell, Milwaukee, Wis.; James Abbott, Albany, N. Y.; J. W. Wats, W. S. Williams, Chicago; R. Bidlemany, Toledo; Hugh McDonald, Louisville; H. M. Meyers, Philadelphia; J. C. Heidelman, Cincinnati.

MARRIED.

In this city, July 22, by Justice Goodman, MR. JACOB H. SEIBERT and MRS. CHRISTIAN HAYS, both of Hickory Point.

A number of young salesmen around town went to the residence of the bride and groom, three miles north of the city, last night, and favored them with a serenade.

RETAIL MARKET.

Butter scarce and unchanged; eggs plenty at 10c. Few blackberries in market; retail price, 12½c. Quite a quantity of small but fair peaches are selling at $1.25 per box; they are shipped principally from St. Louis by Kinney & Jack, of this city, and can be purchased at the green groceries. Cucumbers plenty at 10c.

Blackberries, per quart	12½
Plums, "	15
Cherries, "	10
Cucumbers, per doz	10
Green corn, "	12½
Lemons, "	65
Oranges, "	1,00
Eggs, "	12½
Tomatoes "	15
Butter--packed	25
" --fresh	30
Apples, per bushel	1,00@1,50
New potatoes, per bushel	1,25
Peaches, per bushel	2,00
Pears, "	2,00
Onions, per peck	50
Beans, "	30
Beets, per bunch	5
Cabbage, per head	5@ 15
Cider, per gallon	40

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, July 24, 1874.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1.10
" White "	1.30
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	4.50
" red " "	4.00
" superfine, "	3.75
" middlings, "	2.00
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	80
RYE—℔ bushel	60
OORN—℔ bushel	45@50
" shelled, per bush	60
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton,	12,00
OATS—℔ bushel,	38@40
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	3.25
CLOVER SEED— "	6.50
BLUE GRASS— "	1.50
ORCHARD GRASS, "	2.50
REDTOP— "	1 50
HUNGARIAN	2.75
BEANS—℔ bushel	15@20
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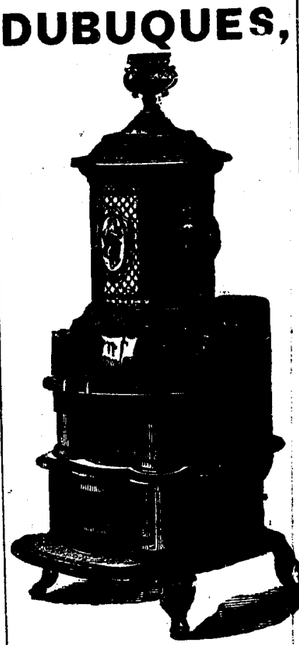

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, to the August term, A. D, 1874.

Affidavit of the non-residence of George W. Kanaday, defendant, and that his place of residence is Havilandsville, Harrison county, Kentucky, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court, notice is therefore hereby given to the said George W. Kanaday, that Cincinnatus W. Morrison and James W. Patton, partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Morrison & Patton, heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, wherein the said George W. Kanaday is made defendant; and that a summons thereto for issued out of said court against the said defendant, returnable on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1874, as is required by law; and was returned to said May term of said court "not found" as to said defendant; that at said May term said cause was continued to said August term, A. D. 1874.

Now, unless you, the said George W. Kanaday, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden on the

First Monday of August, A. D. 1874,

and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein alleged and charged against you, will be taken as confessed by you, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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June 23, 1874-d4w.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, to the August term, A. D. 1874.

Nancy E. Cross, John Cross, Mary E. Golden and John Golden, *vs.* George W. Rodgers, James M. Rodgers, Francis M. Rodgers, Martha J. Rodgers, and Clara Rodgers.

IN CHANCERY.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Clara Rodgers, one of said defendants, and that her place of residence is at Rob Roy, county of Jefferson and state of Arkansas, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said circuit court, notice is hereby given to the said Clara Rodgers, that the above named complainants heretofore filed their certain bill of complaint, or petition, in said court, on the chancery side thereof, entitled, and wherein are parties complainant and defendant, as above; and that summons theretofore issued out of said court against the said Clara Rodgers, returnable on the second Monday of May, A. D. 187 , as is required by law, and was returned to said May term, not found, as to said defendant: that at said May term said cause was continued to the then next succeeding, to-wit: to said August term, A. D. 1874, of said court.

Now, unless you, the said Clara Rodgers, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held on the

First Monday of August, A. D. 1874,

and plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, or petition, the same, and the matters and things therein alleged and charged against you, will be taken as confessed by you, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill or petition.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
MACON COUNTY }

In the Circuit Court, August term A D 1874

Tenth ... ...

Notice is hereby given that certain suit is now pending and undetermined in the Circuit Court of Macon county, state of Illinois on the chancery side thereof, wherein Jemima Wrigley is plaintiff, and Mary Platt, Ben C Platt Percival Platt Kate Chichester Emma Chichester, Edward Platt Emma Platt Albert J Platt George Platt Jane Platt (also called Jenevia Platt) William Platt Walter Platt Charles Platt Sarah A Platt, Harriet McPherson Abraham M Gardener and James R Hall are defendants, and that summons in said cause has been issued directed to the Sheriff of Macon county, Illinois, commanding him to summons said defendants to appear at the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of said Macon county Illinois and that unless you and each of you be and appear at the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court within and for the county of Macon in the state of Illinois to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the

First Monday of August, A D 1874,

(August 3d), to plead answer or demur to said complainants bill and allegations therein set forth, the said bill will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill

I McCLELLAN, Clerk.

E PARK Sol for Compl't

June .. 1874 dtd

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the August term, A D 1874,

John C Fennimore, vs Charles Flemingham David Bennett, and James Mill kin and Frank L Gorin, partners as J Millikin & Co

CHANCERY.

Public notice is hereby given to the above named defendant, David Bennett, that the above named complainant, John C. Fennimore, has heretofore filed his certain bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, against the above named defendants and that a summons has issued thereon against you, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon aforesaid, where said cause is now pending, on the first Monday of August A D 1874 as is by law required

Now, unless you, the said David Bennett, shall personally be and appear before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house in the said city of Decatur and county of Macon, commencing on the

First Monday of August,

being the third day of said month A. D. 1874, and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's said bill of complaint the same and the matters and things therein contained will be taken as confessed by you, and decree entered in said cause in conformity to the prayer of said bill.

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